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09/856,212	05/18/2001	Kozo Nakamura	82821	6761

TITLE OF INVENTION: PRODUCTION METHOD FOR SILICON SINGLE CRYSTAL AND PRODUCTION DEVICE FOR SINGLE CRYSTAL INGOT, AND HEAT TREATING METHOD FOR SILICON SINGLE CRYSTAL WAFER

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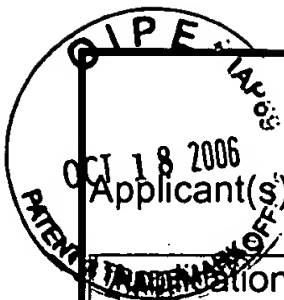
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09/856,212	May 18, 2001	Matthew J. Song	24628	1722

Invention: Production Method For Silicon Single Crystal And Production Device For Single Crystal Ingot, And Heat Treating Method For Silicon Single Crystal Wafer

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